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GUILD COUNCIL REPORT
21/3/2019

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SUMMARY

With PROSH running, the first few weeks of University, and Utopia opening it has been an exciting month! I have put a focus onto communications and gathering feedback about how the Guild communicates with students, as well as the strategic planning process of the University, hopefully setting the Guild and the University up for a successful future which provides students a high-quality education. The consultation on the Freedom of Expression is also ending with some clear common themes and recommendations emerging.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
19/2/19	Laurence Coleman	Freedom of Expression
19/2/19	Trish Rechichi & Christina Lua	Bimonthly meeting
19/2/19	Science Union	Camp approval
19/2/19	Guild Day	Orientation Event
19/2/19	Education Council	Monthly meeting
20/2/19	Library Executive	Monthly meeting
20/2/19	Guild Weekly Filming	
20/2/19	Guild Strategic Resources Committee	Monthly meeting
20/2/19	DVC(E)	Monthly meeting
20/2/19	SIS Orientation	Orientation Presentation
20/2/19	Student Assist, Metropolitan Suicide Prevention Agency	Suicide prevention at UWA: how can we improve?
20/2/19	Advocate	System demonstration
21/2/19	Freedom of Expression WG	Albany Consultation
21/2/19	Albany Students' Association	Face-to-face meeting
21/2/19	Veronica Dayman	Discussion of how Guild can better support Albany students
22/2/19	O-Day	Orientation Event
25/2/19	Young Lives Matter Foundation	Introductory Meeting
25/2/19	Chloe Keller, Tony Goodman	Weekly meeting
25/2/19	Utopia Opening	
25/2/19	OzTrekk Highschool Lunch	Future students engagement
25/2/19	Danielle Browne	Western Australian Digital Subscriptions
25/2/19	John Dell	International Student Engagement: FEMS
25/2/19	Election Culture Working Group	First meeting
26/2/19 – 28/2/19	Universities Australia Conference	
1/3/19	Executive	Fortnightly meeting
1/3/19	Trevor Crooke, UWA Finance	UWA Investment Portfolio Overview
1/3/19	Communications & transparency working group	Working group first meeting
4/3/19	Convocation day	Tree planting & reception
5/3/19	Warwick Calkin	Fortnightly meeting
5/3/19	Chris Massey, Tim Martin	Fortnightly meeting

5/3/19	Employability Community of Practice	First meeting
5/3/19	Club carnival	
5/3/19	Welfare Department Committee	Co-option brief
5/3/19	Bettina Arndt Protest	
5/3/19	Freedom of expression working group	Final meeting before report
5/3/19	Yellow brick row	Trinity College expo
6/3/19	Access Department AGM	
6/3/19	David Sadler, Chris Massey, Bre Shanahan	Bettina Arndt
6/3/19	Fang Ke	UWA's Got Talent
6/3/19	Peter Lennie	WUN Student Forum Planning
6/3/19	Sue Ellery	Bi-annual meeting
6/3/19	Guild Council	Monthly meeting
7/3/19	International Womens' Day Breakfast	
7/3/19	Brianne Yarran	Marndanju Week Planning
7/3/19	Jess Pether	Welfare Department
8/3/19	Dianne Hesterman	Communities of Practice
8/3/19	Tony Goodman, Jenny Ophel, Chloe Jackson	Student Assist Process
8/3/19	Raymond Da Silva Rosa	Senate strategic seminar planning
8/3/19	StudentConnect Reskin Expo	Sprint 6
8/3/19	Peter Dean	WIL
8/3/19	Notre Dame Executive	Tour of Guild
11/3/19	Senate Strategic Seminar	
12/3/19	Tony Goodman, Jenny Ophel, Chloe Jackson, Mutya MJ	Student Assist + GSC
12/3/19	Science Union	Camp approval
12/3/19	Young Leaders Council Committee	
12/3/19	Student Assist, Bre Shanahan, Lincoln Aspinall, Patricia Paguio	Domestic violence presentations trend
13/3/19	Vice-Chancellor	Quarterly meeting
13/3/19	Ron Edwards, Ron Woss	Young Lives Matter Campus Tour
13/3/19	Campus Activation Steering Group	First meeting
13/3/19	Vision 2030 Environments Workstream	
13/3/19	David Sadler, Lincoln Aspinall	Monthly meeting
13/3/19	SOC Meeting	
14/3/19	Executive	Fortnightly meeting
14/3/19	Safety on Campus Steering Group	First meeting & reformulation of group
14/3/19	Kelly Whyte	Capital Investment Committee
14/3/19	Library Executive	Monthly Meeting
14/3/19	Campus masterplan update	
15/3/19	Block Party	Guild event
18/3/19	Staff orientation	Presentation & Guild stall
18/3/19	Saleem Al Odeh	Response to NZ Shooting
18/3/19	Catering & Tavern Committee	Monthly Meeting
18/3/19	Tricia Wylde	WUN Mental Health
18/3/19	IQX Launch	

19/3/19	Warwick Calkin	Fortnightly meeting
19/3/19	Election Culture Working Group	Regularly meeting
19/3/19	David Sadler	MD assured entry
19/3/19	Welfare Officer Interview	
19/3/19	BPhil Union	Education Council Consultation
19/3/19	Culture Club	LWAG Event
20/3/19	PROSH	
20/3/19	Academic Board	Quarterly meeting
20/3/19	Welfare Officer Interview	
20/3/19	WUN Mental Health Panel WG	
21/3/19	Elliott Wallace	Guild Overview
21/3/19	Brianne Yarran	Fortnightly meeting
21/3/19	Chris Massey, Tim Martin	Fortnightly meeting
21/3/19	Ethnocultural Collective Vigil	NZ Vigil

PROJECT UPDATE

Refectory

Fit-outs of outlets are nearing completion, with Utopia already opening. Other outlets are experiencing some delays due to additional approval requirements from the City of Perth. The vendors arriving early this semester are:

- Toshine Japanese
- Cutting Board
- Campus Kebabs
- Utopia Bubble Tea
- Chinese Canton

Orientation

The University has been quite receptive to our feedback on orientation, and we believe that as a whole orientation week has been very successful. Our involvement was:

- Monday: International student information session, student expo (with ISD, clubs, etc.), campus tours, welcome ceremony
- Tuesday: Faculty orientation, Guild activities on Oak Lawn, FacSoc carnival, Departments
- Wednesday: postgraduate orientations, PSA event, enrolment support
- Thursday: enrolment support
- Friday: O-DAY and enrolment support, including a chill-out zone on Oak Lawn, with food trucks, a water slide, and games

We will be collating feedback on Orientation to improve it for next semester and next year.

Freedom of Expression

The formal consultation has concluded, and a report has been released with 18 recommendations. I will be releasing this report for comment from students, and I will feed this into the Working Group before the report goes to Senate.

Safety on Campus

The Safety on Campus Working Group has met for the first time this year, and the Guild President will now co-chair the group. The group's Terms of Reference has been broadened to focus on all student safety issues, but will continue to have a close focus on the Recommendations of the Change the Course Report.

I look forward to the next meeting of the group and to making progress on the Safety of Campus Action Plan.

Campus Masterplan

The Campus Masterplan is concluding, and we are getting some more certainty on where the future is going with the delivery of reports from FreeState and Turnberry coming very soon.

Student Assist

Student Assist has recently been experiencing an extremely high case load, which has meant that the staff has found it difficult to keep up with the demand. Consequently, some admin tasks have been moved to other staff, and the Food Pantry will now be managed by the GSC.

Communications

The format of Guild Weekly has recently been changed to be more streamlined, and to include video content, and a wrap up of the last council. Feedback from this council is very well come, and will be tabled to the communications and transparency working group with feedback from clubs.

Engagement with Albany

I was fortunate enough to be able to visit the Albany Campus this month and talk to the Student Association (a Guild Department) about how we might better support them. These are some key initiatives for council to be aware of:

- Discounts
- More contact with OBs to replicate events and initiatives on the Albany Campus where appropriate
- Explore volunteering opportunities in Albany
- Explore starting clubs at Albany
- Digitise student leadership training for student leaders in Albany
- Simplify finance processes
- Work with UWA Sport to provide more sporting opportunities for these students

Young Lives Matter

I met with the Young Lives Matter Foundation this month. The foundation aims to conduct research at UWA to identify early warning signs of suicide in young people to address suicide, which is a big problem in WA. We are currently exploring how the Foundation's work might touch the lives of UWA students, as well as carry out important work and I recently took the patrons of the organisation on a tour of current health services at UWA.

Bettina Arndt

The infamous denier of rape on university campuses Bettina Arndt is due to speak at UWA on 7th March. Bre and I worked closely together to respond to this and held a protest in solidarity with survivors. We also worked with the university to limit and mitigate harm to survivors of sexual assault and harassment at UWA.

Refectory Upper Floor Upgrade

Upgrade of the May Tannock Room, Sue Boyd Room, and Acorn Café are complete. This includes new flooring, AV equipment, lighting and mirrors. This is almost completed, awaiting new lighting and painting. A new pricing plan for clubs for these venues has also been completed, making them more affordable.

1st Floor Guild Village Renovation

Planning for the 1st floor of the West Wing of Guild Village is underway. Later this year, STA will move part of their operations downstairs, making room for a new space for Student Assist. Architecture firm Hames Sharley have been commissioned to design the downstairs portion of this, and have started works.

Indigenous Strategy

A draft of this strategy has been endorsed by Equity and Diversity committee. Brianne and I hope to bring the final strategy to council after a final round of consultation with First Nations students.

StudentConnect Refresh Project

StudentConnect is being redeveloped to improve the experience of students using it. Much of our feedback has already been incorporated into the project thus far. The development team have completed development and are now undertaking testing. The new platform will be launching in April.

Training for Guild Council

All councillors, except one, have now completed governance training. I facilitated a session on reading financial statements for councillors last month to help them to engage with the financial reports in council.

World Universities Network

In May I will be travelling to Dublin to attend a student forum with other student leaders from across the world. I am keen to learn from others about how they have approach big issues at their universities, particularly student mental health. From this I am currently planning to bring together all of the stakeholders and areas of expertise at UWA, and create real conversation about how we can improve this.

ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

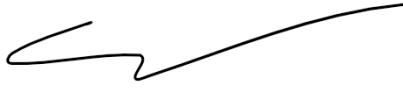
- Successful PROSH
- Improved business model in student assist
- Opened Utopia in the Ref!
- Early contact with Albany Students Association to plan for 2019.
- Extensive consultation on the Freedom of Expression at Universities with the Freedom of Expression Working Group in Perth and Albany.
- Engaging Orientation program for new students.
- FacSoc engagement in Faculty sessions in Orientation.
- Established the Election Culture Working Group to improve electoral processes.
- Order textbook extracts online through OneSearch.
- Extended time to lodge a stage 1 review
- Biggest Student Expo at Orientation to date
- Financial training for Guild Councillors
- New Lecture Capture System delivered
- Updated policy on club/society stalls outside of Guild Village
- Expanded Guild student leadership unit to presidents of eligible clubs
- Secured an exemption for payroll tax, saving the Guild approximately \$250,000 every year.
- Distributed an additional \$30,000 to clubs and societies in partnership with BHP and UWA.

DISCUSSION TOPICS

What do you think of the weekly video updates in Guild Weekly?

Feedback on Orientation.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a stylized 'C' followed by a long, sweeping horizontal line that ends in a small upward flick.

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25/03/2019

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SUMMARY

This month WASAC has been establishing their goals for the year and are starting to discuss and plan future events.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
18/3/19	WASAC general committee meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Cheap Tuesday- Indigenous Nationals- Mardandju Week
21/3/19	Conrad Hogg	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Catch up with WASAC and Guild

PROJECT UPDATE

Mardandju Week

Formatting the week event and getting students ideas together.

Indigenous Nationals

Trainings and begun and team selections will be at the end of week 8.

FINANCES

Budget vs. Actual

FINANCIAL ROW	AMOUNT	BUDGET AMOUNT	AMOUNT OVER BUDGET	% OF BUDGET
Gross Profit	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00%
Expenses				
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES				
305068 - Orientation Day Expenses	\$161.54	\$147.00	\$14.54	109.89%
305080 - Activities and Functions	\$0.00	\$550.00	-\$550.00	0.00%
305083 - Advertising & Promotion	\$0.00	\$4,355.00	-\$4,355.00	0.00%
305147 - General Expenses	\$0.00	\$200.00	-\$200.00	0.00%
305177 - Postage	\$0.00	\$50.00	-\$50.00	0.00%
Total - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	\$161.54	\$5,302.00	-\$5,140.46	3.05%
Total - Expenses	\$161.54	\$5,302.00	-\$5,140.46	3.05%
Operating Profit	-\$161.54	-\$5,302.00	\$5,140.46	3.05%
Other Income				
OTHER INCOME - OTHER INCOME				
103069 - Sundry Income	\$0.00	\$3,000.00	-\$3,000.00	0.00%
Total - OTHER INCOME - OTHER INCOME	\$0.00	\$3,000.00	-\$3,000.00	0.00%
Total - Other Income	\$0.00	\$3,000.00	-\$3,000.00	0.00%
Net Profit/(Loss)	-\$161.54	-\$2,302.00	\$2,140.46	7.02%

ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- N/A

DISCUSSION TOPICS

None

Regards,

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SUMMARY

This month has been filled miscellaneous tasks to represent the Guild but also the capture moments of Guild events occurring to further promote them for future events and future years. The Guild has been invited to a fair few Expos and we've managed to organise council members to represent the Guild at those events.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
27/02/19	Yellow Brick Road	Representing the Guild at College Row Yellow Brick Road
01/03/19	Communication and Transparency Meeting	Plan to increase the communication and transparency of the Guild.
01/03/19	Conrad Filming	Filming the president's vlog for Guild Weekly
01/03/19	FacSoc v College Frisbee	Photos for FacSoc Frisbee
01/03/19	Courtyard Show	Photos for Ed Week
05/03/19	Aspire Student Welcome Lunch	Representing the Guild at the Aspire Student Welcome Lunch to speak about getting involved with the Guild
06/03/19	Engagement and Activities	Discuss orientation and possible improvements for future orientation.
06/03/19	Access Election	Returning Officer for Access Election
08/03/19	Notre Dame Executive Tour	Notre Dame Executive Tour of the Guild and the facilities that we have.
12/03/19	Fringe Festival	Meeting to discuss putting together a leadership document for sub committees
12/03/19	PROSH Marshall Training	PROSH Marshall Training
13/03/19	SOC/PAC Meeting	SOC/PAC Meeting to discuss Sue Boyd and May Tannock as a rehearsal space
15/03/19	Students 4 the Climate	Climate change protest
15/03/19	Inter College Race Around Campus	Assisting UWA Sport with the Race Around Campus
15/03/19	Block Party	Assisting with tickets at the entrance and silent disco
18/03/19	Staff Orientation	Representing the Guild at the staff orientation
19/03/19	Culture Club	Welcome students as to come to Culture Club
20/03/19	PROSH	Selling papers to raise money for Charity
22/03/19	Student Services Committee Meeting	Monthly Meeting
22/03/19	Strategic Resources Committee Meeting	Monthly Meeting

PROJECT UPDATE

Sue Boyd / May Tannock Rehearsal Space

The pricing structure has been drafted. Functions and catering are currently drafting up the paper and discussing the finer logistic.

Expos

The Guild has been invited to a fair few expos this month including; the Student Course Expo, Staff Orientation and Aspire Student Welcome lunch. The Student Course Expo was an opportunity for us to showcase the Guild to potential incoming students, targeting over 600 students ranging from year 10 to 12. Staff Orientation was targeted at welcome new staff members to university and provided us a great way to expose the fine food outlets we have

on campus. Aspire Students Welcome lunch was to welcome student through the Aspire pathway to show them the opportunities available at the Guild and to urge them to get involved.

FINANCES

- N/A

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J Chan', written in a cursive style.

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RSD President
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SUMMARY

March has been a great month for the RSD, with brand recognition improving considerably, particularly with the new first year students who have begun to settle into college. Yellow Brick Row was a great help with this, and we look to use this marketing capital to continue to promote our great upcoming events and initiatives.

Many of the projects and events we're working on are in planning, with the ones worth noting mentioned below. As such, there isn't a lot to report, and at next week's council more concrete summaries of each event, and their budget, will become available.

All in all, our main priorities at the moment are:

- The Flower Power Party
- RSD Ball
- Ed Breakfast
- Welfare Week
- NAIDOC Week/Sorry Day – with more information to be provided as collaborations with WASAC continue

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
1/03	Red Bull Meeting	Wings for Life
1/03	RSD Meeting	General Meeting
1/03	Yellow Brick Row	Welfare Expo at Trinity
3/03	Poster distribution	Distribute posters
6/03	Guild Council	Representation
7/03	Inter-College Council	Event organisation and information exchange
11/03	Meeting with Leigh	Flower Power / Ball Chat
11/03	Red Bull Meeting	Wings for Life incentive and Flower Power Party sponsorship
12/03	RSD Meeting	General department meeting
16/03	Meeting with UniHall Indig Rep	NAIDOC Week and Sorry Day
17/03	RSD Welfare Rep	Welfare Week
18/03	Red Bull	Wings for Life and Flower Power Party

PROJECT UPDATE

Flower Power Party

To be held on Friday 29 March, in collaboration with Red Bull and the Tavern. This ticketed event starts with pres at the Tav and then involves Party Buses to Butterfly 73.

Welfare Week

Planning underway, with event EMPs and marketing started. Looking to be held in collaboration with the Guild Welfare week.

Ed Breakfasts

Planning currently underway for our first Science Breakfast, to be held April 17. We are currently inviting guests and confirming venue and catering engagements, as well as pursuing marketing.

Wings for Life

A new addition to the community cup, Wings for Life is a community fundraising event raising money for research into spinal cord injury. We have had several meetings with Red Bull representatives to work out a deal that is beneficial to college students, and will encourage people to get involved.

Vampire Cup

We have engaged several key stakeholders on this, and we are waiting on a response. To be actioned shortly.

Inter-College Counsellor

Action pending from heads of college.

FINANCES

Budget vs. Actual

FINANCIAL ROW	AMOUNT	BUDGET AMOUNT	AMOUNT OVER BUDGET	% OF BUDGET
Gross Profit	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00%
Expenses				
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES				
305076 - Sundry Activities	\$0.00	\$400.00	-\$400.00	0.00%
305080 - Activities and Functions	\$2,051.68	\$43,000.00	-\$40,948.32	4.77%
305083 - Advertising & Promotion	\$486.00	\$370.00	\$116.00	131.35%
305147 - General Expenses	\$0.00	\$80.00	-\$80.00	0.00%
305180 - Printing & Stationery	\$292.13	\$270.00	\$22.13	108.20%
Total - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	\$2,829.81	\$44,120.00	-\$41,290.19	6.41%
Total - Expenses	\$2,829.81	\$44,120.00	-\$41,290.19	6.41%
Operating Profit	-\$2,829.81	-\$44,120.00	\$41,290.19	6.41%
Other Income				
OTHER INCOME - OTHER INCOME				
103069 - Sundry Income	\$309.10	\$31,000.00	-\$30,690.90	1.00%
Total - OTHER INCOME - OTHER INCOME	\$309.10	\$31,000.00	-\$30,690.90	1.00%
Total - Other Income	\$309.10	\$31,000.00	-\$30,690.90	1.00%
Net Profit/(Loss)	-\$2,520.71	-\$13,120.00	\$10,599.29	19.21%

ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- High rate of brand recognition achieved – many students with RSD stickers, improved rate of followers on social media accounts and direct person-to-person advertising.
- Inter-college PROSH, with the first Community Cup event involving each college raising funds for charity dressed as from different decades
- Successful first Tav Show, with approximately \$600 raised.

Regards,

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PSA President

GUILD COUNCIL REPORT – 29th March 2019

INTRODUCTION

The past month sees an abundance of future planning with respect to the PSA and University. In addition, the mobilisation of new initiatives such as the Teaching and Learning Club, design phase of Barry J Marshall library, and review of the next phase of the University Vision are well underway.

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

DATE	MEETING	PURPOSE
7/3	Meeting with Student Assist	Overview of Student Assist's operations and workflow thoughts with respect to PSA
7/3	PSA Connect	Monthly postgraduate social
11/3	Senate Strategic Seminar	Revision of overarching University strategies current and future
14/3	SPARK/Teaching and Learning Club Action Meeting (previously Facilitators Club)	To implement a new monthly initiative: TLC Fridays.
14/3	PSA Committee Meeting	Monthly committee meeting
18/3	IQX Grand Opening	
20/3	Academic Board	Academic and student board for University policy review and implementations
22/3	Strategic Resources Committee	Resource review and implementation session

PROJECT UPDATES

RESTRUCTURE

All divisions and faculty pockets are now mobilised. The feedback from the committee with regards to the efficiency of the organisation is positive. It is important to note however that focus on the fully structured events calendar for the PSA has been delayed as a result of the Restructure/Efficiency focus.

UNICLUB COLLABORATIONS

With UniClub Connects now underway the committee moves to put more efforts into winter and final event considerations along with membership incentives. A catered writer's room is currently under negotiation.

CONNECT

The first UniClub Connect for the year in the March Connect was run with an influx of approximately 280 postgraduates. There is motivation to sustain the growth however, the PSA is being pre-emptive in considering whether or not this is a good idea with respect to Winter Connects which will likely require a venue change.



PSA President

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TEACHING AND LEARNING CLUB (previously FACILITATORS CLUB)

The first trialling of this initiative will be run March 29th to the EMS faculty during the lunch break. The nature entails a panel style consisting of exceptional education providers/co-ordinators in the faculty, followed by open networking and light refreshments conducted by the Guild.

OUTDOORS EVENT STREAM

Dates and logistics regarding potential events are being confirmed and budgeting strategies are being explored.

DIGITAL RESEARCH PORTAL

An intriguing initiative has arisen from the Arts and Culture Network meeting which has raised the question of whether or not UWA research is receiving adequate exposure. Inspiration is being drawn from the Pursuit equivalent utilised at the University of Melbourne which is exceptional and well-received in highlighting the research projects of the University. PSA has noted to the potential content creators to push for the initiative and engage HDRs in the implementation.

FINANCES

Budget expenditure to date is \$9,141.53. Budget has been primarily utilised for March Connect.

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SUMMARY

March has been a busy week for the Pride Department! We have been hard at work preparing our annual Quiz Night, in addition to setting up the Pride collectives, participating in Prosh, and running a series of weekly events.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
28/02/2019	Trans Collective Meeting	To discuss plans for collective meetings with the convenors of the Trans Collective. Attended by both officers.
07/03/2019	LGBT+ POC collective meeting	Meeting to discuss the idea of a new collective for LGBT people of colour with the prospective convenor. Attended by both officers.
09/03/2019	Committee Meeting	Debrief for O-Day and Club Carnival. Attended by all officers and deputies.
09/03/2019	Unihall Community Awareness Meeting	Meeting with the Community Awareness Residential Advisor to discuss plans for events for LGBT+ residents at Unihall. Attended by Saskia.
12/03/2019	Prosh Marshal Training	Attended by Saskia.
21/03/2019	Women's Department and Trans Collective Meeting	Meeting to discuss collaboration plans for Transgender Day of Visibility. Attended by both officers.
21/03/2019	Student Meeting	Attended by Martha J.

INITIATIVES UPDATES

Outreach to other LGBT+ Groups: Resource Centers

Informational materials have been donated from Qheadsapce and SHQ+, dedicated to physical and mental health resources for LGBT+ individuals.

Outreach to other LGBT+ Groups: Out for Australia

Correspondence is ongoing with Out for Australia, regarding plans throughout the year. A date for a networking night in collaboration with Out for Australia has been agreed upon; to be held on September 4th, during Pride Week. Additional opportunities for collaboration are currently in discussion.

PROJECT UPDATES

Quiz Night

We are currently in the process of organising our annual quiz night, to take place on Thursday the 28th of March. Our theme- Dungeons and Drag Queens- has been planned, the Tavern has been booked, and tickets are currently being sold both online and in person. We are on track to have the most successful quiz to date, with a projected attendance of ~150 students! We have also gained many sponsors for prizes from Hurlly Burly, Tactics, Good Games, White Dwarf Books, and The Court. Additionally, we have



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received a Ticketek prize voucher as a personal donation, and Guild Engagement has also donated prize items from Utopia and International Paintball Group.

Prosh

Last Wednesday, the Pride Department participated in Prosh once again. Our theme was Pride Pride West, so early in the morning, we donned our cowboy hats and headed down to the city to sell papers for charity!

Outspoken

We've now taken requests for Outspoken sub-editors, with a final submission date of Friday 15th. From these applications, three sub-editors have now been chosen; they are scheduled to have their first meeting in the next two weeks.

Collectives

The four collectives are up and running. Attendance and involvement have been high as well as positive feedback from the community. A Pride member has also started working on developing a fifth collective, specifically for LGBT+ people of colour. We are very excited to see this additional collective thrive!

FINANCES

MARCH

Description	Amount	Budget Amount
O-Day Expenses	<u>\$161.54</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>
General Expenses	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$20.00</u>
Printing & Stationary	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$20.00</u>
Refurbishment Expenses	<u>-\$23.50</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>
Total	<u>\$138.04</u>	<u>\$40.00</u>

ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- Survived PROSH (yee-haw)
- Sold over 100 tickets to quiz night
- Successfully organised Pride collectives
- Received sponsorship for quiz night

DISCUSSION TOPICS

None currently.

Regards,

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Report from campus presidents: President's Summit 2019

Please include:

Your Student Organisation's Name: UWA Student Guild

President's name: Conrad Hogg

1. Overview of Student Organisation

- Governance structure of Student organisation

Guild is created under the UWA Act 1911, meaning the University cannot absolve us. Subsidiary legislation is Statute (approved by University Senate and tabled in Parliament), Regulations (approved by University Senate), Rules (approved by Guild Council), and Policy (approved by Guild Council)

Combined structure (Union and SRC combined)

Guild Council acts as a board of directors of the organization, both as student representatives, and as directors of the Guild as a corporate entity. The Council is made up of the executive, department officers, sub-council presidents,

- Services provided by your organisation

Key services are

- Student assist (welfare, financial, academic advice + support)
- Volunteering
- Sporting activities
- Volunteering opportunities
- Events, including cultural events
- Representation
- Support and training for student leaders
- Catering
- Tavern
- Administration and funding for clubs and societies
- Providing information to the student body
- Provision of common spaces

- What does autonomous representation look like in your organisation

Autonomous representation occurs through the Guild's autonomous departments (Access, Pride, Women's, International, Ethnocultural, Indigenous). These officers are members of this group, and are elected by the autonomous group.

They are all members of Guild Council, although only Indigenous, International and Women's hold voting rights. Also note that Indigenous representation occurs through a separate corporate entity, the Western Australia Students' Aboriginal Corporation (WASAC) – the Guild funds this body, but it cannot bind it.

2. Representation on campus

- What is the university support for student representation on university run committees? How is your student organisation involved in representation on university committees?

The Guild/subsidiary student groups (e.g. Faculty Societies) has representation on all university committees that are student facing (in theory, there are a few exceptions). This runs from the Senate to the low-level School committees. This is partly virtue of governance, but also the Partnership Agreement that the Guild has with the University (http://www.uwastudentguild.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/The-Partnership_web.pdf).

3. Trends in university course and services quality on your campus

- What are the key issues your student organisation is prioritising on your campus in terms of, student experience in and outside of the classroom e.g. course cuts, funding to welfare services etc. (**Top 3-5 issues- for discussion at President's Summit**)
 - Welfare services/mental health support
 - Sexual assault on campus
 - Better representation for students
 - Sustainability & decreasing plastic usage
 - Reconciliation and better support for Indigenous students
- SSAF funding model- how is SSAF distributed on your campus and how much is allocated to student organisations?

Our legislation sets out that the Guild should receive 50% of SSAF. 25% is allocated to UWA Sport, and 25% is retained by the University for student services.

4. Top 3 things your student organisation would like to see from NUS in the next year (**also for discussion at President's Summit**)

- Genuinely engage with students to help them make informed decisions this election
- More contact with Western Australia
- More training and support for campus office bearers



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SUMMARY

This was again a busy month for the Women's Department. For the most part, our time and resources has been taken up by protesting against Bettina Arndt and pushing for real action from the university on the issue of sexual assault on campus. On a more positive note, we ran a very successful International Women's Day Brunch, and SCREW Week coming up in week 6 is looking to be another fantastic event.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
04/03/2019	Soroptimist International	SI x Women's Department Public Speaking Competition
05/03/2019	Meeting with a student	Discussing Share the Dignity initiative on campus
05/03/2019	We Will Not Be Silent Protest	Demonstration against Bettina Arndt
06/03/2019	Peter Dean and Chris Massey	Discussion of university response to Bettina Arndt
06/03/2019	International Women's Day Breakfast briefing	
07/03/2019	International Women's Day Brunch event	
07/03/2019	Lawrence Wilson Art Gallery	LWAG x Women's Department IWD celebrations
08/03/2019	University International Women's Day Breakfast	Provided closing remarks
12/03/2019	Young Leader's Council meeting	
13/03/2019	Student Assist	Discussion of trends within Student Assist service provision
14/03/2019	Safety on Campus Working Group Meeting	Discussed terms of reference and re-shifted focus of group. These meetings will now be bi-monthly.
18/03/2019	PROSH Marshal training	
19/03/2019	PROSH planning meeting	
19/03/2019	ISD	Women's ISD SCREW Week initiative
22/03/2019	Pride Officers and Trans Collective Convenors	Planning event for Trans Day of Visibility celebrations

PROJECT UPDATE

Self Defence Classes

Our self defence classes began on March 18. We again exhausted our sign up availability and turn out was good for the first week. We are again offering a prize valued at \$500 for a free semester of classes from Rhee Taekwondo, uniform and lifetime membership.

NOWSA

The NOWSA organising committee is now in full swing, organising speakers, themes and marketing for the conference in July.

Bettina Arndt Protest

Our protest was well attended by students from various areas of campus. We received feedback from the Vice Chancellor that she was impressed with the respectful way in which we had handled it. We plan to build on the momentum gained from this event to release targeted information about sexual assault and harassment on campus and statistics as to violence against women within our communities.

Women's Council

Women's Council is slowly growing and will hopefully develop into a strong resource for club and societies on campus. Our first initiative in this space will be organise a Share the Dignity drive across the clubs involved.

EVENT UPDATE

International Women's Day Breakfast

Our International Women's Day Breakfast sold out. Guests were able to enjoy a breakfast provided by Guild catering while listening to three incredible guest speakers, Fadzi Whande, Sgt Kareene Santoro and Dr Shauna Hill. It was a great day all round.

SCREW Week

SCREW Week planning has been moving along. We have sort collaboration with various Guil Departments and campus clubs, and it is set to be an educational and engaging week.

Soroptimist International Public Speaking

We are again partnering with Soroptimist International to run their annual Public Speaking Competition. The winner of the UWA heat will receive a cash prize of \$250, and could win \$500 at the final. Registration is now open via the event link.

EnviroFest

Our EnviroFest stall is organised and ready to go for next week. We will be making environmentally friendly face mist.

FINANCES

FINANCIAL ROW	AMOUNT	BUDGET AMOUNT	AMOUNT OVER BUDGET	% OF BUDGET
Gross Profit	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00%
Expenses				
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES				
305024 - Campaigns	\$252.73	\$100.00	\$152.73	252.73%
305068 - Orientation Day Expenses	\$1,093.80	\$1,000.00	\$93.80	109.38%
305076 - Sundry Activities	\$0.00	\$20.00	-\$20.00	0.00%
305080 - Activities and Functions	\$0.00	\$1,500.00	-\$1,500.00	0.00%
305109 - Cleaning Consumables	\$0.00	\$30.00	-\$30.00	0.00%
305147 - General Expenses	\$0.00	\$400.00	-\$400.00	0.00%
305180 - Printing & Stationery	\$147.07	\$40.00	\$107.07	367.68%
305333 - Workshops and seminars	\$0.00	\$250.00	-\$250.00	0.00%
Total - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES - ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	\$1,493.60	\$3,340.00	-\$1,846.40	44.72%
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS EXPENSE - EMPLOYEE BENEFITS EXPENSE				
304001 - Salaries & Wages - Permanent Staff	\$94.03	\$0.00	\$94.03	0.00%
Total - EMPLOYEE BENEFITS EXPENSE - EMPLOYEE BENEFITS EXPENSE	\$94.03	\$0.00	\$94.03	0.00%
Total - Expenses	\$1,587.63	\$3,340.00	-\$1,752.37	47.53%
Operating Profit	-\$1,587.63	-\$3,340.00	\$1,752.37	47.53%
Other Income				
OTHER INCOME - OTHER INCOME				
103069 - Sundry Income	\$150.00	\$0.00	\$150.00	0.00%

ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- Ran a well-attended protest against Bettina Arndt
- Very successful sold-out International Women's Day breakfast!
- Gained progress from the university in the re-modelling of the Safety on Campus Working Group
- Engagement with our Facebook page has increased by 2000%

Regards,

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EDUCATION COUNCIL PRESIDENT
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27/3/2019

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SUMMARY

The last month has been quite a whirlwind as we've breezed through a great orientation period, into Ed Week, and through the beginning of the semester. I have spent a considerable amount of time launching the class representative system in its first semester of permanency. As part of the expansion of the program, the offer was extended to all active first year units and a range of second/third units to take part. All successful reps have now been trained and encouraged to begin engaging within their units. I look forward to observing how the system functions in its growing capacity and ask that each faculty society supports their reps where needed. Across the month of March my attention has been drawn to a number of miscellaneous issues – ranging from student concern regarding 2019 academic policy updates, queries regarding lecture capture within some units, a number of societies exploring affiliation to the Education Council, University timetabling, and ongoing 12-week semester consultation with the University executive. I am pleased with the outcomes in the way these topics have been resolved.

I would like to congratulate my EAN coordinator on his work carrying out the “students for the climate” campaign on our campus. The turnout we had at the climate rally evidenced the effort that was put in and illustrated just how many young people care about seeing change on this issue. The EAN will be looking to adopt two new campaigns soon, working with UnionsWA to advocate for student working conditions, as well as administering the NUS’ “A Future Worth Fighting For” campaign in the lead up to the federal election.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
4/3/2019	Convocation Day Ceremony	Tree Planting Engagement
7/3/2019	Student Assist	General Meeting
7/3/2019	Guild Council Chair, Societies Council President	Collaborative Reference Group Funding Policy Consultation
12/3/2019	Class Representative System Training	Induction and training for semester 1 class reps
12/3/2019	Student Assist	DV Cases Discussion
13/3/2019	WAMSS VPI, HSS Education VP	HMS Rep Coordination
13/3/2019	Education Action Network	Preparation and promotion for the climate strike rally
13/3/2019	Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Education), Guild President	Monthly Meeting
13/3/2019	Societies Council Meeting	General Meeting
14/3/2019	Education Council Committee	SPG Application Review
15/3/2019	CCEAN Climate Strike March	Enacting Guild Council's campaign to advocate for stronger climate policy
15/3/2019	UnionsWA	Phone meeting to discuss collaboration on a wage theft inquiry campaign
19/3/2019	Education Collective, UnionsWA	High Visibility Opportunity
19/3/2019	LinkedIn Learning Steering Group	Update Meeting
19/3/2019	BPhil Union	Consultation Meeting
19/3/2019	Education Council	General Meeting
20/3/2019	PROSH	Volunteering
20/3/2019	Academic Board	General Meeting
21/3/2019	Learning and Teaching Committee	Monthly Meeting
26/3/2019	Guild President, DVCE, PVCE, DPCS, DSL	12 Week Semesters Consultation
26/3/2019	Ed Collective	Weekly Stall
26/3/2019	Guild Student Centre	Volunteering
26/3/2019	NUS National Executive	Monthly Meeting

27/3/2019	Student Consultative Committee	Monthly Meeting
27/3/2019	Convocation Council Mixer	General Meeting
27/3/2019	Guild Council	Monthly Meeting

PROJECT UPDATE

Academic Policy Communication

There are a number of changes to the assessment policy in 2019 that Conrad and I have been working to implement carefully. I have been working alongside the EEU from the academic perspective to ensure teaching staff are aware of how they need to accommodate for these updates, as well as internally in the Guild to communicate these changes unambiguously to students. I am aware there are several questions about the impact of some changes so I'm happy to chat through these at ed council.

LinkedIn Learning

This service has been launched and the EEU is making small changes during the teething stage. All students at UWA will now have access to learning modules that will upskill them and these qualifications can be badged to their profile.

Guild Induction Resources

With the lead-in to Orientation and the start of semester, this project has been put on hold. We are waiting on the EEU to develop the content within LMS and then student leaders will have pilot access to the training.

Class Representative System

The system has been launched for semester 1. With a large expansion of the program, I had in excess of 160 applications from students in six days, which is a great sign we are moving from strength to strength. My committee have selected the successful reps, and I delivered physical training for them in week 3.

Student Connect Re-skin Steering Group

The university has been reworking the design and logistics of Student Connect for a much cleaner experience, I am working on the steering group to ensure student feedback is heard. The new site will be ready and launched in between semesters 1 and 2 to prevent any interference this semester.

Evaluation Strategy Working Group

This working group is being led by David Sadler to drive positive change in relation to the evaluation of learning and teaching at UWA. This group will take a particular focus on looking to replace the SURF and SPOT tools that are currently used, with a consolidated program that better addresses the needs of staff and students.

Wage Theft Campaign

Alongside UnionsWA, the EAN will be looking to run a high visibility campaign around student rights at work. This is in response to the state government's inquiry into wage theft. All faculty societies and members of Guild Council are welcome to participate.

Education Collective

As part of my goal to expand the visibility and transparency of the Education Council in 2019, I have established a collective that meets every Tuesday afternoon during common hour in the ref courtyard. This is effectively a mobile office opportunity where members of the committee and I will be able to discuss and answer any questions that students may have. I believe the ability to walk up to the Ed Council President and get a quick-fire response, in a low-barrier setting, will foster a sense of tangibility and something that students will appreciate.

A Future Worth Fighting For

Guild Council has endorsed the NUS' major campaign for 2019 and this will be administered through the EAN. The "A Future Worth Fighting For" campaign has five main demands – establishing a national taskforce into sexual assault and harassment on campus, establishing real action on climate change, ending student poverty, and ensuring students have fully-funded, equitable, and accessible post-secondary education.

ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- Empowered WAMSS to ensure the university follows student-oriented reform during the MD2 review
- Passed 100% of proposed education policy at the NUS National Conference
- Developed and published new resources for students to aid accessible education
- Oversaw the introduction of the new Echo360 system and aided service implementation
- Secured the National Education Officer to support students at O-day
- Introduced Ed Week for the first time – celebrating learning at UWA
- Expanded the class representative system as a permanent Guild initiative
- Completed the "students for the climate" campaign alongside the Curtin Guild to advocate for stronger climate policy
- Established a weekly education collective

DISCUSSION TOPICS

Nil.

Regards,

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INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS DEPARTMENT
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SUMMARY

In the month of March, ISD focused on planning for the events that we are going to hold in the coming semester. Our accomplishments for this month includes our International Students Welcome and Migration Seminar. We are now planning towards our collaborations for the upcoming themed weeks.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
01/03/2019	ISD Committee Meeting	Monthly full ISD committee meeting
07/03/2019	Meeting with Perth International (PI)	To discuss about future collaborations between ISD and PI <ul style="list-style-type: none">- To hold a ISD x PI social event- For ISD to contribute information for PI's welfare pamphlets for Semester 2
07/03/2019	Meeting with Multicultural Week	To discuss about <ul style="list-style-type: none">- The floor plan and use of the ISD/MCW room- Collaborations for Multicultural Week
07/03/2019	Meeting with ISD Sponsorship	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- To welcome the new ISD sponsorship officer- To discuss about the prospects of future ISD sponsorship agreements
12/03/2019	Meeting with Chloe Jackson	To discuss about <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Aussizz sponsorship agreement- Migration Seminar
12/03/2019	Meeting with ISD Directors	Fortnightly Directors and Officers meeting
19/03/2019	Academic Board Meeting	Monthly Academic Board meeting
22/03/2019	Meeting with ISD Social	To discuss about <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Rottnest Island Trip- International Sports Day
25/03/2019	Meeting with ISD Welfare	To discuss about <ul style="list-style-type: none">- SCREW Week- Access Week- Welfare Week

PROJECT UPDATE

International Students Welcome and Lighthouse Launch

- Held on the 15th March 2019, Week 3
- Good turn out and a simple mingling session
- Launched the Lighthouse magazine
- Had a small lucky draw session for our Rottnest Trip during study break

Migration Seminar

- Held on the 26th March 2019, Week 5
- About 60 people turned up

- An impromptu extended Q&A session was held after the seminar

Revamping International Students Council (ISC)

- Currently contacting new cultural club presidents and inviting them to the first ISC meeting, which is tentatively set for 28th March 2019, Week 5
- Received feedback from International Reps from FACSOCs that their roles are unclear and therefore we are currently working on improving ties between ISD and FACSOCs and seeking better ways to support international reps
- Invited representatives of Study Smarter, HPU and Student Assist to hold a short talk at the start of ISC meetings

Rottneest Island Trip

- Planned for the Tuesday of Study Break
- Planning to collaborate with WASAC to educate international students about the history of Rottneest Island

ISD Sports Day

- Planned for Week 9
- To hold a Witches' Hat soccer tournament that is open for both international and domestic students

FINANCES

- \$563.20 for International Stickers
- \$35.00 for business cards
- \$285.00 for pull up banner and vinyl banner
- \$250.00 for ISD Welcome

ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- Really good turn out for Student Expo and O-Day
- International stickers are now available at the GSC
- Lighthouse is finally completed
- International Students Welcome and Lighthouse Launch
- Migration Seminar

DISCUSSION TOPICS

- No discussion topics at this time

Regards,

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106th Guild Council
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27th March 2019

GENERAL SECRETARY – March Report

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SUMMARY

The last month of March has been very busy with a lot of clubs beginning to run through their initial drafts of for events. This means a lot of clubs have been requesting for overdrafts on their larger scaled events. With the Semester One Ordinary General Meeting fast approaching, we have been trying to get everything organised and prepared prior to the deadlines. With some undesirable and slowdowns that are far beyond our control with regards to the Refectory the staff are yet trying to push through. I look forward to the next month especially in managing my first OGM and trying to maintain the elusive 100 person quorum.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
13/3/19	Executive Meeting	Regular Meeting
18/3/19	Catering & Tavern Committee Meeting	New Signage at Cafes
22/3/19	Student Services Committee Meeting	O-Day Review and Ball Preparation
22/3/19	Food & Drink Delivery Working Group	Initial Planning
25/3/19	Executive Management Committee Meeting	Refectory Update
27/3/19	Executive Meeting	Regular Meeting

PROJECT UPDATE

Food Delivery Working Group

We officially met for the first time this month and discussed the feasibility of the delivering of pizzas around specific campus locations. With consideration of demand side and supply side factors we came to the conclusion that it would be best if we first research into pre-existing platforms such as Uber Eats and Deliveroo to see what is on offer and if we can compete with their platforms.

Refectory Project

With some unforeseen delays from the City of Perth we have been delayed to opening the remaining outlets. The main concern is that they have asked to fully survey our extraction which has never been done in the past as we have usually been a part of the City of Subiaco until recent changes were imposed. When we were under the City of Subiaco this was not a requirement. Speaking with the staff, I was informed a maximum of 60 days since our last Guild Council meeting till this issue can be resolved.

Club Overdrafts

With a lot of major club events quickly approaching more and more clubs have been approaching me and requesting for overdrafts. The major events so far have included BPhil Ball as well as UEC Ball. I have been strict but reasonable this year with overdraft applications and have had a zero tolerance with applications from clubs that have an outstanding debt with the Guild.

RUNNING ATTENDANCE

Name	3.12.18	11.12.18	30.1.19	6.3.19
<i>Conrad Hogg</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓
<i>Adhish Kastha</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓
<i>Lincoln Aspinall</i>	✓	James Dow	✓	✓
<i>Taco Shiraishi</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓
<i>Nitin Narula</i>	✓	Nikayla Moodley	✓	✓
<i>Bre Shanahan</i>	✓	Hannah Smith	✓	✓
<i>Maddie Hedderwick</i>	AP	AP	✓	AB
<i>Clarice Antero</i>	AP	✓	✓	Zlindt See
<i>Nisa Shahrin</i>	✓	✓	Daniel Kuzich	✓
<i>Daniel Kuzich</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓
<i>Alexander Tan</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓
<i>Joseph Chan</i>	Amy Hearder	✓	✓	✓
<i>Raaghav Raj</i>	Daniel Kuzich	✓	Luke Thomas	✓
<i>Saleem Al Odeh</i>	✓	✓	Maddie Hedderwick	✓
<i>Ke Fang</i>	✓	AP	Amy Hearder	✓
<i>Callum Lindsay</i>	Rahul MS	✓	✓	AB
<i>Neve Staltari</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓
<i>Jade Wu</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓
<i>Ben Perry</i>	Nathan Wytkin	✓	AP	✓
<i>Bradán Sonnendecker</i>	✓	AP	✓	✓
<i>Shahid Khan</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓
<i>Olivia Bartlett</i>	✓	AP	✓	✓
<i>Scott Harney</i>	Jade Mawby	Nick Brown	✓	AP
<i>Patricia Paguio</i>	✓	✓	✓	Daniel Kuzich
<i>Mike Anderson</i>	✓	AP	✓	✓
<i>Lauren Espinoza</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓
<i>Luke Thomas</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓
<i>Saskia Mason</i>	✓	AP	✓	✓
<i>Martha McKinley</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓
<i>Brianne Yarran</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓

Note: AP = Apologies, AB = Absent

ACHIEVMENTS TO DATE

- Approved major overdrafts including UEC Ball and soon BPhil Ball.
- Ran our first Food & Drink Delivery Working Group meeting.

Kind Regards,



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SUMMARY

March has been mainly spent organising for Access Week. The Access Department also held its OGM and elected Co-Officers for 2019. Lauren and Mike were returned as Access Officers after having served as interim co-officers. We submitted a grant application, this could not have been achieved without the tireless work and support of Student Assist's Christine Bryant. The Access Department has been working with SOC and Ed Council to help advertise Access Week to Clubs and Faculty Societies.

We also attended the launch of Access Careers, this was a chance to meet students as well as UWA staff and volunteers and professionals from disability support/advocacy services. Access Careers will operate on Friday's and will assist students with disabilities who are in their final year find work. This has a focus on long term employment and supporting clients after having found work.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
06/03/19	Access Department OGM	Election of Office Bearers, accept rule changes.
06/03/19	Guild Council	
07/03/19	Meeting with Christine Bryant	Set plan for grant application and discuss Access Week. Attended by Lauren, Mike phoned in.
13/03/19	ISD x Access	Meeting with Welfare Reps
13/03/19	Grant Meeting – Christine Bryant	Discuss needs of grant application.
13/03/19	Meeting with Ayesha Frederickson	Discuss Wellness Volunteers, scale of project.
13/03/19	SOC Meeting	Present Access Week slide
14/03/19	Grant Meeting	Touch base, discuss needs further, set plan for Friday
14/03/19	Catering – Fernanda – Christine Bryant	Discuss venues and catering for Access Week
15/03/19	Grant Meeting – Christine Bryant	Finalisation of grant application and submission
18/03/19	Access Committee Meeting	
19/03/19	Election Culture Working Group	Co-Option of ordinary members
19/03/19	Meeting with Tony	Discuss accessibility on campus
19/03/19	Education Council	Mike attended alone. Discuss Access week and how FacSocs can help make the Uni more accessible
22/03/19	Psychology Society	Discuss their event for Access Week

PROJECT UPDATE

Access Week

Events have been planned, thus far we have a Men's Mental Health Breakfast, a lived experience panel discussion in collaboration with HPU, and a Poetry Night. Relay for Life will also be holding their Biggest Morning Tea as part of Access Week. We are still sorting out times and logistics for a special consideration workshop, and a board games night. We have submitted a grant in aid of supporting our activities during Access Week. We'd like to give our heartfelt thanks to Christine Bryant for all the hard work she has put in for this to be completed. We would also like to thank Fernanda Leme, Xander Sinclair, and Ayesha Frederickson for the help they provided in completing this. We gave a short presentation at the Societies Council meeting and assisted in a breakout session at Education Council to create awareness around Access Week and engage clubs and FacSocs to get involved and run their own events.

Accessibility on Campus

We have discovered an issue in the Social Sciences building, that being the lift in the central part of the building is broken and requires replacing. Mike drafted a letter and discussed the matter with Conrad and

Guild Directors. Conrad has forwarded the letter to Campus Management. Campus Management has responded the replacement of this lift is within their plans for 2019. We'd like to thank Conrad for his support in this matter. We are currently exploring avenues to support students find alternative pathways that are accessible.

Access Room

Currently working towards a change of room. This will see us move into a larger space. This will better enable students with mobility issues to access our room. Mike has also been contacting organisations about getting resources for the Access Room. These will be placed in the access room, distributed at Access events, and disseminated to other clubs and societies to support their goals.

FINANCES

- No spending has occurred so far in March.

ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- Access Careers launched.
- Submitted first grant application.
- Successfully held OGM and amended regulations.

DISCUSSION TOPICS

Are there any physical barriers to accessibility on campus that you are aware of?

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GUILD COUNCIL REPORT
27/03/2019

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SUMMARY

March has been an exciting month, chairing the first Collaborative Reference Group meetings as well as attending my first Academic Board meeting. The Collaborative Reference Groups that have met so far have been well attended and the participating clubs are very excited to see how the initiative runs moving forward. Academic Board was also very interesting and enjoyable, despite struggling to fight off sleep deprivation as a result of PROSH. The report created by the Freedom of Expression Working Group was thoroughly discussed, as well as introducing micro-credentialing at UWA. I have also been co-opted into the Student Equity and Participation Working Group as Conrad's nominee and am very excited to see how UWA plans to engage with students from low SES schools whilst they're at school and after they have been accepted into university.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
01/03/2019	Guild Council Executive Meeting	Fortnightly meeting.
04/03/2019	Convocation Day Tree Planting	Conrad's tree planting and networking with Convocation members.
05/03/2019	Aspire UWA	Speaking about the Guild and McCusker Centre, and networking to Aspire UWA students.
05/03/2019	Science Collaborative Reference Group	First Science CRG meeting.
06/03/2019	Commerce Collaborative Reference Group	First Commerce CRG meeting.
07/03/2019	International Women's Day Brunch	Attended the IWD brunch hosted by the Women's Department.
07/03/2019	SOC Treasurer	Meeting with Jacob to discuss his role as SOC Rep in the CRG.
07/03/2019	Arts Collaborative Reference Group	First Arts CRG meeting.
08/03/2019	EMS Collaborative Reference Group	First EMS CRG meeting.
12/03/2019	Student Assist	Meeting with Student Assist, Conrad, Lincoln, and Bre to discuss the increasing trend of reports of domestic violence at Student Assist.
12/03/2019	Ed Council President and Societies Council President	Meeting with Lincoln and Taco to finalise the terms of the CRG grants before sending the draft to the societies, and discuss the size of the funding pool.
14/03/2019	Guild Council Executive Meeting	Fortnightly meeting.
14/03/2019	PROSH Marshall Training	Marshall training.
15/03/2019	Block Party	Volunteered at Block Party.
19/03/2019	Election Culture Working Group	Meeting to co-opt ordinary Guild members to the working group.
19/03/2019	Welfare Officer Interview	Interview panel for Welfare Officer candidate.
19/03/2019	Academic Board Pre-Meeting	Discussing Academic Board agenda.
19/03/2019	Culture Club Art Party	Attended Culture Club at the Lawrence Wilson Art Gallery. The Guild Executive assisted in finding sponsors and performers for the night, as well as handing out door tickets.
20/03/2019	PROSH	PROSH!!!
20/03/2019	Student Equity and Participation Working Group	Working group under the Inclusion and Diversity Committee to extend the reach of the University to low SES schools, and increase support to uni students from these schools.

20/03/2019	Academic Board	Academic Board
20/03/2019	Welfare Officer Interview	Interview panel for Welfare Officer candidate.

PROJECT UPDATE

Collaborative Reference Group

Three out of four Collaborative Reference Groups (Science, Arts, and EMS) met for the first time this month. The first meetings have been focused on introductions, and goal setting for the year ahead. The feedback from the clubs regarding the reference groups have been overwhelmingly positive. I have received comments about the confusion applying for grants causes when a collaborative event is between an Ed Council affiliated society and a SOC affiliated society. Hopefully, the creation of the reference group and the Collaborative Grant clarifies this confusion.

The terms of the grant, as well as the application process, have also been semi-finalised and agreed upon by Lincoln, Taco, Jacob, and I. Lincoln and Taco will both be committing funding for the Collaborative Grant pool in Semester 2, with applications tentatively due in the first week of Semester 2. The Commerce CRG will be meeting in Week 5 for the first time, and the other three to meet for the second time in Week 6. The grant terms and application will be brought to these meetings for further feedback and questions before sending it to Guild Council in April.

Governance Update

The Access Department held their OGM this month, and a motion to amend the Access Department Regulations to allow the position of Access Officer to be shared between two people who jointly nominate was passed. This was a fairly minor change and will be go to the next Governance Committee meeting to be ratified before going to Guild Council in April.

Guild General Regulations

Conrad, Megan, Tony and I will be meeting soon to finalise the comments for the Guild Regulations to be sent to Emma Bright in the next week or so.

Election Culture Working Group

The Election Culture Working Group has now co-opted three ordinary Guild members to be a part of the working group. There was a total of 16 applications. The position was preferenced to students who have not run in elections before, and at least one spot preferenced to a female-identifying or nonbinary student. Of the 16 applications, three were chosen and they were: Jessica Laden, Lorenzo Malavisi, and Mitchell Jia Wen Teoh. The working group will be meeting again in April with the new members present.

FINANCES

- Nil.

ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- Welfare Department Rules reviewed and updated.
- Access Department Rules reviewed and updated.
- Standing Orders reviewed and updated.
- Finalised clubs for Collaborative Reference Groups.
- Sports Department Rules drafted.
- Science, Arts, and EMS Collaborative Reference Groups first meeting.

DISCUSSION TOPICS

- Nil.

Regards,



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